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INTERACTOR 1(INI1)/hSNF5  
Inventor: Ganjam V. Kalpana  
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Enclosed please find the following documents for filing with the above-identified utility patent application in the name of Ganjam V. Kalpana, entitled INHIBITION OF HIV-1 VIRION PRODUCTION BY A TRANSDOMINANT MUTANT OF INTEGRASE INTERACTOR 1(INI1)/hSNF5, comprising the following:

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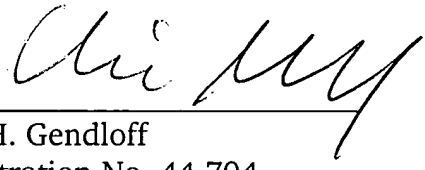
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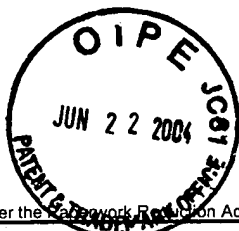
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